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5/1/2025**KSR**THOMAS G. BRUTON  
CLERK, U.S. DISTRICT COURTUNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOISMARY MADISON,  
Plaintiff,

v.

Civil Action No. Case No. 23CV16476  
Honorable Judge Manish S. ShahCREATIVE WERKS, LLC,  
and Steve Schroeder, individually,  
Defendants.**MOTION TO EXCUSE ABSENCE**

To the Honorable Court:

I respectfully apologize for missing the scheduled court date on April 9, 2025.

At that time, I was ill with COVID-19. Unfortunately, I did not receive the court notice in time to make alternate arrangements or request a continuance.

I kindly ask the Court to excuse my absence. I remain committed to resolving this case and participating in the process.

Dated: May 1, 2025

Respectfully Submitted:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned, Mary Madison, certifies that on May 1, 2025, I caused to be served true and correct copies of the foregoing Plaintiff's Motion To Excuse Absence by causing a copy to be served on the persons identified on the docket's service list through Notice of Electronic Filing generated by the Court's CM/ECF system:

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